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HOUSE FAILS TO ACT ON THE BILL

Delegates, After Much Wrangling, Adjourn Without Action.

NO MESAGE SENT IN.

Lower Body Not Expected to Concur in Amendments Made to Enabling Act in the Senate.

(Special Dispatch to Gazette.)

Richmond, Va., Feb. 6.—After much wrangling in the House today, that body adjourned until tomorrow without taking action on the enabling act as sent back from the senate.

Richmond, Feb. 6.—No message regarding House action on enabling act has been received.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 6.—Without a single word of debate, the Senate of Virginia at 1:05 o'clock yesterday afternoon passed the Williams enabling act in practically the same form in which it was engrossed by the same body on Wednesday night. The vote was 29 to 11.

Although much remains to be done before the bill will be ready for the signature of Governor Stuart, the Senate's action yesterday virtually ended the six-year siege on the General Assembly maintained by the State's organized prohibition forces to secure the passage of an act which will submit to a vote of the people the question of whether or not intoxicating liquors shall be permitted to be manufactured or sold within the borders of the State.

An examination of the recorded vote reveals little information as to the causes that converted the anti-prohibition senate of 1912 which defeated the enabling act by a vote of 24 to 16, into the prohibition senate of 1914, which passed virtually the same act by a vote of 29 to 11.

The retirement of Senators Folkes and Tucker, and the death of Senator Cummings caused no change in the line-up. The successor of each repeated the vote cast by his predecessor in 1912. The sixteen votes polled by the enabling act in 1912 were reinforced this year by thirteen votes which were at the last session registered against it. These were cast by Senators Bowers, Brock, Catron, Early, Echoles, Fletcher, Garrett, Hobbs, Lesner, Massie, Moncure, Sowder and Watkins.

Under the provisions of the act, as it now stands State-wide prohibition will go into effect in Virginia on May 1, 1917, if the vote is that way. The bill authorizes a special election, upon the application of one-fourth of the voters who took part in the last general state election, to be held on the fourth Tuesday of September, 1914. At that election the qualified voters will be asked to express their preference for either state-wide prohibition or local option.

While the chief points at issue have been agreed upon by both houses, several diferences remain still to be adjusted. As passed by the Senate yesterday, the bill carries a number of amendments added in the course of the passage and by the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections.

House eladers, including Judge Martin Williams, patron of the measure, made it clear yesterday that the House will decline to concur in the amendments added to the bill by the senate. The bill will be reported to the lower branch today, and, it is expected, will be referred to a committee of conferees composed, probably, of three members from each house.

The refusal to concur in the Senate amendments, however, will be more in the way of legisfative diplomacy than actual rejection. Prohibition leaders will make an effort to secure the elimination or change of several of the amendments to further the antisaloon cause, but nothing will be done, it is stated, to endanger the final passage of the conference bill by both branches.

The bitterest pill in the whole amended act, from the viewpoint of the prohibition forces, is the committee amendment sustained by the Senate, putting the bill into effect on May 1, 1917. A determined effort, it is expected, will be made to strike the provision from the bill, and insert the original provision, which made prohibition effective May 1, 1916.

The provision of the amended bill are as follows:

Directs Governor, upon a petition signed by 18,104 voters qualified to vote under the act, to call a special election on September 22, 1914, at which the qualified electorate shall cast their votes for State-wide prohibition or local option.

Admits to participation in the election of all persons who voted in the general election of November, 1913, all persons who have qualified themselves to vote in the June elections of 1914, and all minors who can qualify under the general law by reason of attaining their majority.

Declares State-wide prohibition to be in force from May 1, 1917, if it shall be certified to the Governor that a majority of the votes cast in the special election have voted in favor of it.

Makes it unlawful after prohibition is in force, for any person, social club, firm or corporation to manufacture for sale, or purchase for sale, transport for sale, dispense or otherwise dispose of any spirituous vinous, fermented, distilled or malt liquors, or intoxicating liquors in this state, except for medicinal, scientific sacramental purposes as may be allowed by acts to be passed by the General Assembly that convenes next after the date of the special election.

Permits the manufacture of wine and its by-products from grapes, berries and fruits by persons and firms not engaged in its manufacture in this State, provided the products so manufactured are sold only in packages of not less than two and one-half gallons, or one dozen bottles, and delivered to a common carrier to be transported outside of the State of Virginia.

Extends to beer and malt products containing 3 1-2 per cent of alcohol and less the same exemptions that are accorded to wine and its by-products.

Directs that nothing in the act shall be construed as affecting in any way the present laws governing the manufacture and sale of apple cider, leaving that product to the regulation of the Byrd act, which permits the sale of cider containing as high as 6 per cent of alcohol.

FAIRFAXAN TO WED.

Will Bring Bride to Historic Gunston Hall.

Miss Ella Daughaday, formerly of St. Louis, but for the last several years a resident of Chicago, and Mr. Louis Hertle, of Fairfax County, Va., will be married tomorrow in Chicago. Miss Daughaday, who is a daughter of the late Hamilton Daughaday of St. Louis, is a sister of Mrs. Tracy Drake, of Chicago, who before her marriage was Miss Anna Daughaday. One of the chief objects of interest in connection with the approaching wedding is the wonderful old historic mansion to which Mr. Hertle will take his bride after the honeymoon and over which she will reign mistress. The estate is Gunston Hall-on-the-Potomac.

The estate is comprised of 700 acres, lying on the bank of the Potomac, eighteen miles or so beyond Mt. Vernon, with only old Woodlawn, the estate bestowed upon Nellie Custis, by her step-father, George Washington, between it and the estate of the country's first president.

The house itself was built by George Mason, a close personal friend of George Washington, who was the author of the famous bill of rights, the paper which preceded and laid the foundation for the Declaration of Independence.

The bill of rights was written in one of the rooms of the mansion and its author, who lived until 1792, is buried on the estate. The house was noted for its lavish hospitality, and, according to an article on the historic houses of America written for the old Appleton's Journal of April 4, 1874, "became a great resort for company."

LOST.—On Tuesday, Feb. 3, 1914, white Dog with brown spot on left eye, answers to the name of "Nell," with collar. Bull Terrier. Reward if returned to 801 Duke street, Alexandria, Va. 6 3t

GANGSTERS KILL ANOTHER MAN

New York Policeman Dies as Result of Battle with Outlaws.

AN ATTEMPT TO LYNCH

Fireman Shot by Fleeing Man—Stilettos, Revolvers, Rifles, Blackjacks, Etc., Captured.

New York, Feb. 6.—Shot by an East Side gunman in a new outbreak which culminated in an attempted lynching, Policeman Edward Murtha died early today in Holy Family Hospital in Brooklyn, and James O'Connor, a fireman, has a bullet in his abdomen which may prove fatal.

Giuseppe Arino, the slayer was loafing on Murtha's beat when the policeman told him to move on. Arino only grunted defiance, but when Murtha put his hands on him Arino drew a pistol and shot the bluecoat through the chest. Staggering with his mortal wound, Murtha lunged forward, blew his whistle and fell, while Arino darted up the street.

In an instant a score of bystanders, with Policeman Griffin and Stuckle, and Fireman O'Connor in the lead, took up the chase. After running a block Arino turned, and O'Connor fell, shot through the stormach.

By this time Stuckle, revolver in hand, was close on the slayer. Arino turned and again his pistol cracked, but the bullet went wild and a blow from Stuckle's pistol brought him down.

He fought like a demon, but was soon beaten into subjection, and then the policemen battled with a mob, which yelled "Lynch him!" and would not be denied. Finally, night sticks cleared the way to a trolley, whence the gunman was rushed to jail after he had been identified by his victm.

Further police raids on the haunts of gunmen last night were a feature of the war to stamp out the killers in Manhattan. Many weapons were confiscated, the largest collection in the home of Joseph Grace, on the upper East Side

In his rooms detectives found a stiletto, with an eight-inch blade; one revolver, two rifles, and 150 cartridges of assorted sizes. Scores of stilettos, blackjacks, sawed-off shotguns, and rifles have been gathered in raids on the haunts of gunmen and blackhanders.

The way New York juries are backing up the war on the gunmen was illustrated in Judge Mulqueen's court, where in half an hour Carmine Licenziata was acquitted of killing Luigi Gordano, a black-hand man, Licenziata swore Gordano demanded money with threats, and that he shot him down, when the blackmailer put a hand in his pocket to draw a gun.

WANTS DRY DOCK AT NORFOLK.

Secretary, Before Committee, Repeats Recommendation Carried in His Annual Estimates.

Washington, Feb. 6.—In his testimony yesterday before the House Committee on Naval affairs, Secretary Daniels discusses the proposed development of stragetic naval bases on the Atlantic seacoast. He said that the naval experts figured that Hampton Roads would be the logical rendezvous for a fleet that was about to operate in the tropics, the Caribbean or the Atlantic, and that for that reason they believed a great dry dock should be built at Norfolk.

Secretary Daniels thereupon repeated the recommendation that was carried in his annual estimates for the construction of a $2,300,000 dry dock at Norfolk.

NOTICE.

The regular convocation of Mount Vernon Royal Arch Chapter, No. 14, will be held in the Tabernacle Friday, February 6th, 1914, at 7:30 o'clock. P. M.

6 2t A. G. UHLER, Secty.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Dr. Ray V. Pierce, of Buffalo, well-known as a manufacturer of proprietary medicines, died at his winter home on St. Vincent's Island, Florida, Wednesday night.

A man who habitually sets his alarm clock for 2 a. m., and at that hour makes his wife get out of bed and sleep on the floor is guilty of disorderly conduct. This ruling was given yesterday by Municipal Judge Sullivan, , in Chicago, who fined the offender, Stanley Melish, $50 and costs.

On his knees in the chancel of Grace Church at Providence, R. I., John Ogden, former town treasurer of North Providence, drew a revolver and shot himself in the head yesterday. He died almost instantly. Before he approached the chancel, Ogden had been sitting in a pew in the rear of the church writing in a book, which he later handed to a deaconess. In the book were found notes to his wife and to the superintendent of a mill in which he had been employed. About a week ago Ogden was accused of irregularities in office as town treasurer, but was acquitted by the courts.

By a majority of one vote—32 to 31—Frank P. Glass, of Alabama, editor of the Birmingham, Ala., News, lost his fight for a seat in the United States Senate Wednesday. The vote sustained the recommendation of the Committee on Privileges and Elections, which held that Mr. Glass was not entitled to be seated, because his appointment by Governor O'Neal to succeed the late Senator Joseph Johnston was made after the seventeen constitutional amendment, directing election of senators by the people had been proclaimed in full effect.

Three destructive fires, said to be the work of suffragette "arson squads," caused heavy damage Wednesday in the neighborhood of Perthshire Village of Comrie, Scotland, famous for its Druidical and Roman ruins. The first fire was discovered in a drawing room of Aberuchill castle. Shortly afterward another magnificent mansion, the "house of Ross," which was temporarily unoccupied, was found to be on fire. The third case of arson occurred in Perthshire later in the day when St Fillans, a fine mansion, was destroyed.

President Wilson let it be known yesterday that he favors the repeal of the provision of the Panama Canal act exempting American coastwise vessels from the payment of tolls at this session of Congress. This was the first statement having official weight upon the President's proposition in the canals tolls controversy in which Great Britain has made such vigorous protest against what is deemed a contravention of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty. The administration's position is clear cut and well defined. The President is definitely convinced that the exemption of the American vessels would constitute a discrimination against the terms of the treaty by which this government is bound.

Governor Cole L. Blease's threat to commute the sentences of all the prisoners remaining in the South Carolina penitentiary and send them back to the counties in which they were convicted unless certain legislation advocated by him was enacted has led to the discovery that there are fewer than 200 prisoners left in the prison. D. J. Griffith, superintendent, said there were not enough convicts left to do even such work as waiting on the table. There were more than 1,300 prisoners in the penitentiary when Governor Blease assumed office three years ago, but he has extended executive clemency in more than a thousand cases. Within the last three weeks sixty-four convicts have been the recipients of clemency, and if the Govrenor continues at his usual rate, it will not be long until the penitentiary is cleaned out.

Dr. Quincy L. Williams, a well-known physician of Polsomville, Ind., was shot and fatally wounded yesterday by Ernest Dimitt, 25 years-old, his brother-in-law, following the alleged mistreatment of Mrs. Williams by the physician. She had to flee to her parents' home for protection. Dr. Williams was fined $230 and costs recently for horsewhipping his wife.

REBELS CLOSING AROUND TAMPICO

Insurrectionists Gather at Walls of Besieged Mexican City.

A BATTLE IMMINENT.

Federals Preparing For Strenuous Resistance by Blockading Streets—Fight All Night.

Mexico City, Feb. 6.—The rebels are closing in on Tampico, one of the few remaining federal cities, today. Before night a desperate battle between the Carranza troops and the defending federalists will be raging.

Anticipating the attack, the federal soldiers have barricaded the streets and today finds them ready for stubborn resistance.

Out in the harbor of Tampico are riding at anchor four American warships, their guns pointing toward the city, a mute sign of their purpose. The officers are holding themselves in readiness to care for the Americans who may flee from the oil port the moment danger is imminent. The ships also are prepared to care for any foreigners or any Mexican refugees who ask protection.

Fighting has been in progress a few miles from Tampico all night. The war office here today issued a statement saying that seventy men have been lost by the rebels. No estimate of the federal casualties was made.

All during the night and during the early morning hours the Mexican forces have brought into Tampico, the dispatches say, the wounded federals, in a skirmish at La Puerta, a suburb of Tampico, where fighting was in progress all day yesterday, the casuality list is large, and Tampico today is finding itself caring for the wounded and dying soldiers.

Tampico is an isolated place, with the gulf on one side, a river on another and otherwise bounded by swamps. The only approach is the causeway over which the railroad crosses the swamps. The rebels are fighting to obtain possession of this.

FRATERNAL AMERICANS.

Interesting Meeting of Alexandria Council Last Night.

Alexandria Council, No. 5, Order Fraternal Americans, held a most interesting meeting last evening.

The first degree was conferred upon one candidate, and one application for membership received.

An invitation was accepted from the George Washington Birthday Association, and the Council which has a large membership, will participate in the parade on the 23rd instant.

A special committee of 12 was appointed to arrange the various details, necessary for participating. This committee has entered enthusiastically upon its work, and it promises some attractive features.

Invitations have been extended, by the Council to the councils near the city, and also to the large number of the order in Washington.

RETURNED FROM RICHMOND.

James T. Preston, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and John W. May, chairman of the legislative committee, have returned from Richmond where they went to appear before the committees of the legislature on a number of important subjects. Among the matters in which the Chamber is interested is the Wendenburg bill, regarding the extension of the limits of cities, the fertilizer bill, regulating this industry, the wide tire bill, requiring wide tires on all vehicles, the employers liability bill, the banking bill and the seed bill. C. S. T. Burke, a member of the committee is still in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Anderson have sent out cards announcing the marriage of their daughter, Lisa Deane, to Mr. Wallace Lindsey, on Wednesday, February the fourth. Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey will be at home after the first of March at 215 north Columbus street.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

A deed was placed on record in the Corporation Court today from Thomas C Rawlett and wife transferring to T. M. Burton, of Fairfax county, two houses and lots, known as 318 and 320 north Pitt street.

James Buckner, colored, charged with entering the house of Abner Hawes, was fined $10 in Police Court today for drunk and disorderly conduct.

There will be an important meeting of the George Washington Birthday Association at the Chamber of Commerce tonight.

In the Corporation Court today a decree for divorce was entered by Jeanette Matan Basoff against her husband, Jacob Basoff. Desertion of more than three years is alleged. The plaintiff is represented by Attorney Robinson Moncure.

The condition of H. B. Richards, superintendent of the Alexandria Laundry Company, who was injured by a fall of a fire door, was improved today.

It will certainly surprise you the unheard of prices on shoes at the clean up sale now on at 422 King street by C. B. Marshall.

Schooner Grape Shot just arrived with a load of salt water oysters from Jackson's Creek. Roberts' Wharf, foot of King street. 5 3t

SALE OF FAIRFAX BONDS.

Local Banks Were Bidders For Total Issue.

As announced in the Gazette yesterday $46,000 of the issue of $50,000 in 5 per cent bonds of Fairfax county, issued for good roads were sold to Baker, Watts & Co., of Baltimore for $101.53 for each $100. The following were the bids submitted:

W. J. Boothe, of Alexandria, 100 3-4 for $3,000 worth.

First National Bank of Alexandria, $51,125 for total issue, but with proviso that the money should be deposited with said bank.

Citizens' National Bank of Alexandria, 101.55 for all or none.

Baker, Watts & Co., of Baltimore, $50,756 for total issue or any less number awarded them.

Harris, Forbes & Co., N. Y., 101-702-1000 for all or any part of the issue.

Hanchett Bond Co., of Chicago, offered par, the county to pay expense of printing, &c.

C .M. Bruin, 103 for 10 bonds of 10-year issue.

E. J. Grilbortzer, par for 10 bonds.

A. J. Hood & Co., Detroit, Mich., $50,012 flat, county to pay for printing.

Spitzer, Rowen & Co., par less cost of printing, with accrued interest to date of delivery.

John T. DeBell, of Centerville, 102 for 20 bonds.

Mrs. Ellen Bruin, 104 for 20 bonds, 10-year issue.

The bid of Baker, Watts & Co., was accepted, they agreeing to let the county sell bonds to the Bruins and Mr. DeBell at their respective bids, and they (Baker, Watts & Co.,) to take the rest at 101.53 and pay all cost of lithographing.

WANTS INVESTIGATION.

Nearly One-Foutrh of State's Allowance for Lee Camp Home Spent in Improvements.

Richmond, Feb. 6.—Delegate Toney, of South Richmond, introduced in the House today a bill authorizing an investigation of Lee Camp soldiers' Home. The offering of the measure created consternation in that body. Nearly one-fourth of the Home's 1913 State allowance was spent for "improvements and repairs." The object of the bill is to find out how the money was spent.

Stockholders' Meeting.

The regular annual stockholders' meeting of the Fidelity Storage Co., will be held at its office, 117 No. Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., Wednesday, February 11, 1914, at 3:00 p. m.

P. H. SMYTH, Secretary.

Norfolf Fried Oysters at the Rammel's Cafe.

WILL HEAR THE RATE CASE TODAY

Attorney-General Pollard to Represent Virginia Cities In Issue.

INTEREST IN MATTER.

Virginia Asks The Interstate Commerce Commission Only For Fair Readjustment of the Rate.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 6.—The hearing before the Interstate Commerce Commission on the petition of the Virginia cities to intervene in the North Carolina rate reduction case began today in Washington. Attorney-General Pollard appearing in the case in behalf of the State Corporation Commission, made an effort on Wednesday to have the hearing postponed until after March 15. He received a telegraphic refusal yesterday, and left last night for Washington. The first brief to be written by the new Attorney-general was filed yesterday with the Interstate Commerce Commission in this case.

The North Carolina Corporation Commission some time ago undertook to secure from the railways entering that State from the West a reduction in the freight rates from Louisville and Cincinnati to North Carolina cities. Before such an agreement could be effected, the Virginia cities intervened before the Interstate Commerce Commission on the ground that any reduction along the lines desired by North Carolina should be followed by a corresponding reduction in rates from Virginia cities into North Carolina. Without a readjustment of the existing rates, it is claimed Virginia cities would be shut out of the North Carolina markets by the proposed reduction from Louisville and Cincinnati to North Carolina cities.

The Virginia cities and the State Corporation Commission, which entered the controversy in behalf of the Virginia cities do not oppose the granting of the reduction sought by North Carolina. They do, however, pray "that the difference in the relative rates to points in the State of North Carolina from Virginia cities, on the one hand, and the rates from Cincinnati and Louisville on the other, shall in no event be increased as against the Virginia cities, but be decreased to such extent as the commission may determine to be just and reasonable, and nondiscriminatory and non prejudicial."

The Virginia cities and the State Corparotion Commission filed the first brief in the case on November 29, and were represented at the hearing in Greensboro, N. C., December 16-18, by former Attorney-General Williams. At the hearing today the interests of the Virginia cities will be represented by Attorney-General Pollard and law firms of Littleford, James, Ballard and Frost, of Washington, and E. E. Williamson, of Cincinnati.

20,000 BAGS OF POTATOES.

Cargo Brought From Maine to Norfolk on Steamer Dorothy.

Discharging 20,000 bags of Irish potatoes and 1,000 tons of white paper, the American steamer Dorothy is attracting unusual attention at the Anheuser-Busch pier in Norfolk. The Dorothy recently brought a cargo of phosphate rock to the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company, of this city. The potatoes were loaded at Stockton, Me., and will be stored in the mammoth plant of the Anheuser-Busch Company at Norfolk until they can be shipped to various parts of the south.

The distribution of potatoes from Norfolk is a new departure. Heretofore this has been done from New York, Baltimore and Boston.

The great paper mills of the North which have been shipping roll paper to newspapers in the South are now beginning to ship their paper to Norfolk to be held in storage at the Anheuser-Busch plant, until needed by the journals in Dixie.

Part of the Dorothy's cargo is roll paper.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

Mrs. John R. Miller continues quite sick at her home on Wolfe street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Joyce Waller will entertain the card club of which they are members this evening at their home in Rosemont.

Mrs. Maria C. Peyton is seriously ill at her home in Rosemont.

Mrs. Richard H. Rawlings, of Orange, Va., was a week-end guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Francis Larmond, at 115 south Columbus street.

Mrs. Frank M. Hill and Miss Ella Hill have gone to New York for two weeks.

A dance will be given this evening in McBurney's Hall by a number of young people. Dancing will begin at eight o'clock.

The Equal Suffrage League of Richmond entertained at their headquarters, Commercial Building yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Lewis Machen, of Alexandria, who with Mr. Machen is spending the winter in Richmond, Mrs. Katherine F. Moran, of Charlottesville, and Mrs. J. W. Durham, of Roanoke.

CARDINALS PLAY ENGINEERS.

Game Scheduled for Saturday Night at Armory Hall.

The Cardinal Athletic Club basketball quint which is now going at a rapid gait will tackle the strong team which represents the Engineers at the Washington Barracks, Saturday night at 8:15 p. m., in the Armory Hall.

The Bridge Builders have had the benefit of good coaching at the hands of Lieutenant Nichols, and are now given the credit of being a very fast team.

The last game the Cardinals played has proven to Coach Bopp, that his boys have now struck their stride and will be able to hold their own against any team in the District.

Notice of Administration.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of the late Ann M. Butler, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement with the undersigned, and all persons to whom said estate is indebted are requested to present their accounts properly certified for payment.

CARROLL D. WOOLF,
feb 5 10t. Alexandria, Va.

DOING THEIR DUTY.

Scores of Alexandria Readers Are Learning About the Kidneys.

To filter the blood is the kidney's duty.

When they fail to do this the kidneys are weak.

Backache and other kidney ills may follow;

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ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER

Seven Directors of Defunct Corporation Will Turn Over $20,000 to Corporation Court

Depositors of the Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation, the big Virginia banking concern with principal offices in Alexandria and eight branches in various parts of the state which failed three years ago, have voted to accept the offer of seven directors of the defunct corporation to pay $20,000 in full settlement of a suit instituted against them by the receiver for their alleged negligence in handling the affairs of the bank.

A report showing the vote of the depositors, in detail, was filed in the Corporation Court of this city today by Howard W. Smith, receiver. As more than a majority of the creditors, representing more than a majority of the claims have agreed to the compromise, the court will enter a decree in a few days, authorizing the receiver to accept the money and dismiss the suit against the directors.

According to the vote 1913 depositors, having deposits aggregating $341,655.92, out of 3,678 depositors whom the bank owed $576,989.48 voted to accept the compromise, 313 depositors, with $75,380.92 in deposits voted against the compromise and 1452 depositors with $150,952.64 in deposits did not vote.

All of the branches with the exception of Dillwyn and Basic City voted for the compromise. In Alexandria city the vote was as follows: 201 depositors with deposits of $80,260.19, out of a total of 337 depositors with deposits of $120,488.64 voted to accept the directors' proposition.

With the money now on hand and the $20,000 to be paid by the directors Receiver Smith expects to be able to pay an additional dividend to the depositors of from seven to eight per cent. Thirty five per cent has already been declared.

VIOLATING LAW.

Officer Roberts discovered three hogs on the premises of Stephen White, colored, on south West street today. He cited the owner to appear in the Police Court tomorrow morning to show cause why he should not be fined for violating the city ordinance forbidding the keeping of swine within the corporation limits.

DISCUSS "SECOND CHANCE."

Able Speaker to Close Series of Bible Lectures at Surprise Theatre.

"Two Salvations, But no Second Chance," is the interesting subject announced for Mr. M. G. Ellis' lecture at the Surprise Theatre, Sunday at 7:30 p. m.

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Special Meeting Will be Held Next Monday Night.

The Columbia Fire Engine Company will hold a special meeting Monday night, to pay honor to Henry Posey, driver of the Columbia engine, that day marking the fortieth anniversary of his connection with the company. He will be given a life-size photograph of himself, together with other presents as a token of the esteem in which he is held by the members of the company.

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ELECTION OF A TEACHER

Colored Man Will Fill Vacancy in Girl's School Caused By Death of Woman

The regular monthly meeting of the City School Board was held last night. Vice President Bradshaw presided. There were also present Messrs. Carter, Cox, Ervin, Myers, Kirk, Pierce, Howard and Thompson.

After the committees had reported Mr. Kirk stated that in order to carry out the law, he had been told by the Commonwealth's Attorney that it was necessary for the School Board to give its assent to the proposition to purchase the Black lot in the parcel of ground at the corner of Cameron and West recently acquired by the city upon which it is proposed to erect a new high school building. Mr. Kirk also said the action of the city fathers in having the title to that property vested in the City, Council was null and void.

Most of the members of the board could not see why the action of Council in purchasing the lot in question had to have the affirmation of the School Board, and after an interchange of opinion it was decided to take no action in the matter at present.

It was ordered that the schools be closed on Monday, the 23rd, instant, on which day the celebration of Washington's birthday will take place.

Superintendent Sweeney stated that between two and three hundred boy pupil will take part in the celebration on that day. He also stated that it was purposed to have a float in line.

The Superintendent stated that the colored teachers of the state will meet in Alexandria on the 26th and 27th instant, and that a half-day holiday would be observed in the colored schools on the 26th and an all-day holiday on the 27th.

A communication from the Boy's Athletic Association of the High School asking an appropriation of $25 with which to pay a coach for the football team was laid over until the next meeting.

H. T. White, a former teacher in the colored schools, was elected to fill a vacancy caused by the death of Ella Adkins.

The board adjourned shortly before ten o'clock.

NEW FEATURE ADDED.

Rattle of Tin Cans is Now Accompaniment of Rollerskating.

Years ago, when the movement for replacing the ancient roadways of Alexandria with vitirfied brick was in progress, a lady published a poem in which she expressed sentiment for the "dear old cobblestones." The authoress at the time was not appreciated, but some people who were enthused at the proposed change in the roadways have since sighed for the "dear old cobblestones," as in many cases they have brought unlooked for annoyance.

Rollerskating on the sidewalks has been minimized, but a feature recently introduced has added a new terror to people whose property abuts on vitrified brick roadways, on which the skating is now mostly concentrated.

At several street intersections last night youngsters who were indulging in the sport—which per se is not objected to—hurled tomato cans at each other as they glided along. The din occasioned by this past time kept the recording angel busy.

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SENATOR THORNTON'S VOTE YESTERDAY.

No matter how people view the passage of the enabling act by the Senate yesterday they cannot help admiring the action of Senator R. E. Thornton, of Fairfax county, who represents this senatorial district in the upper house of the legislature. As is well known, Senator Thornton is a most conservative man on the liquor question. He does not use intoxicants in any form, and on general principles is opposed to their use. At the same time he was elected to represent a district that favors the legal sale of whiskey. Alexandria city has always been a wet town and in a recent election in Fairfax county when W. T. Oliver was opposed because he voted against the enabling act the voters sustained his action by a large majority. Senator Thornton announced several years ago that he was in the senate to carry out the views of his constituents and would therefore oppose the enabling act. This he has done without the least hesitation and his position has always been plain. Yesterday when the bill came to its final vote and many of the wet senators who had previously fought the act, saw that the bill was going to pass, they jumped from their former position to the dry side and thus floated away with the majority. Senator Thornton stood firm in his position, however, and his was one of the eleven negative votes cast against the bill.

DOCKING THE PAY OF CONGRESSMEN.

We can see no good reason why the house of representatives should not enforce the rule already established which provides for the docking of the salaries of congressmen who are absent from their duties unless kept away by illness, or at least take some action that will prevent the neglect of duties such as is the case of Representative Richmond P Hobson, of Alabama, who is prosecuting his campaign for nomination to the U. S. Senate. We recall, at this time, the action of William Randolph Hearst, when he was elected as a congressman from New York. He never appeared on the floor of the House until the end of the session when he dropped in and secured recognition from the chair for the sole purpose of drawing his salary for two years' service for which he had done nothing.

The statute of 1856, which has been dug up to fit Mr. Hobson's case has not been enforced in the memory of [illegible] member of congress. Probably as too drastic. But there is [illegible] the fact that members [illegible]tors are too careless in the [illegible]f daily attendance upon the [illegible]. Their constituents send [illegible] Washington to look after [illegible]ests of their states and districts. Of course, many matters affecting these interests arise in the departments, and never reach the floor of the House or Senate. It is the duty of the senator or congressman to look after such matters just as much as they were the subject of congressional consideration. Such a matter might compel his absence from his seat for the entire day. To refuse to pay him his salary for those days would be a manifest injustice.

In practice, of course, it would be rare that a member of Congress would be so busy all day on a matter outside the house that he would not have time to appear in his seat, but such case might arise. We can conceive of other circumstances which would keep a member away from his seat throughout one of the daily sessions. The very general practice among members of absenting themselves frequently as long as desired ,in order to prosecute their campaigns for office however, should be curbed.

PASSING OF THE ARMY PAY DAY.

An interesting experiment is being tried at Fort Myer, Alexandria county, which if it proves a success, will be extended to army posts in various sections of the county. It is a change in the method of paying the soldiers so that they will receive their money at shorter intervals than the present method of monthly payments.

The troops will have practically a weekly pay day. This will presumably have the effect of giving the soldier money which will enable him to spend it prudently and judiciously in any form of entertainment which will, by this means, extend over a period of time that, under the old method, found him largely without funds for diversion or expenditures in other directions during the greater part of the month; for, as is remarked in the memorandum on the subject submitted by the chief of the quartermaster corps: "Experience in the army shows that within a very short period after pay day, the men are without the means of enjoying the few simple pleasures to be found in the vicinity of the post. Under such conditions the temptations to borrow at exorbitant rates of interest are great, and when pay day comes, much of the soldier's pay has been pledged to repay [illegible]d money and interest."

If the new method, after a comprehensive trial, operates to encourage men to manage their individual financial affairs with prudence and with a check on the over-indulgence which comes of receipt of pay monthly, the importance of the new order cannot be overestimated as a contribution to the morale and efficiency of the enlisted force. In the experimental adoption of a more frequent payment of troops than the monthly pay day, there is a departure from a custom which is century old, and, as one contemplates the radical change which has been suggested by General Aleshire, there is the natural inquiry as to why so obvious an improvement in the system with its assurances of successful operation and beneficial effects has not occurred before.

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P. M.— 12.10, 12.25x, 12.30, 12.50, 1.10, 1.25x, 1.30, 1.50, 2.10, 2.25x, 2.30, 2.50, 3.05, 3.25x, 3.35, 3.50, 4.10, 4.25, 4.30, 4.40, 4.55, 5.10, 5.25, 5.35, 5.50, 6.05, 6.20, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.25, 7.36, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.10, 11.55.

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SCHOOLS SHOW PROGRESS.

Both Revenue And Number of Scholars Are Increasing Rapidly.

Richmond, Feb. 6.—Steady growth in both school revenues and the number of scholars in Virginia last year is shown in the annual report of State Superintendent of Public Instruction R. C. Stearnes for the scholastic year of 1911-1912. The public school income for the year was $5,616,964.16, an increase of $446,380.52 over the preceding year. The total school enrollment was 409,397, an increase of 17,000. Paradoxically, the number of schoolhouses in the State has been decreased by 557 since 1906, and at the same time the number of schoolrooms has grown by 1,502.

The report shows that the State's public income during 1911-1912 was $5,616,964.16, a net gain of $446,380.52 for the year, and a net annual gain of $3,184,861.71, as compared with 1905. In 1905 Virginia's total revenue for schools was $2,432,102.45. In 1912 that amount was spent and $759,410.64 besides on teachers' salaries alone. In addition there was spent $1,142,892.11 on good school buildings, compared with $262,030.55 in 1905.

The State now spends $9 per capita "in preparing our boys and girls for life." Washington and California spent $32 and $27 respectively.

Of the entire revenue for 1912, $1,869,697.06 was derived from State funds, and $3,747,267.10 from local funds.

Virginia is now spending $1,000,000 annually on school houses, as compared with only about $250,000.00 in 1905.

School age in the State is from seven to twenty years.

There are 81,000 white persons above ten years of age and 149,000 colored persons who can neither read nor write.

During the seven years preceding July, 1912, Virginia had established 390 new high schools and the enrollment had increased from about 7,599 to 17,886.

TROOPS IN WAR GAMES.

Virginia Soldiers Will Protect Washington From Enemey.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 6.—Citizen soldiers of Virginia will be given a taste of actual warfare next summer, when, with the troops of six states, they will participate in a huge war game to be staged on Virginia soil, the outlines of which have just been received by Adjutant General William Wilson Sale, from the War Department, which will suuperintend the maneuvers. No date has been set for the affair, but it is more than probable that it will be held early in July and will last for ten or more days.

The maneuvers will take the form of an attack on the City of Washington. The seventh and eight divisions of the National Guards, of which the Virginia Volunteers is an integral part, will take part in the game. The seventh division, formed wholly of troops from the State of Pennsylvania will be the attacking party, while those of Virginia, West Virginia, Delaware and Maryland, reinforced by cavalrymen from Fort Myer will defend the city. The latter will be the only members of the regular United States army to take part in the attack or defense.

Virginia will be strictly in the limelight during the maneuvers as the whole of the game will be staged on its soil. The attacking troops will land at some point on Chesapeake Bay, while the defending army will be scattered over the wide territory to repel them. This State will furnish forty companies of infantry, divided into three regiments of twelve companies each, and one separate battalion of four companies; three batteries of field artillery; a field hospital and one field company of the signal corps.

General A. L. Mills, chief of the division of militia affairs of the U. S will superintend the maneuvers. The defending army will be commanded by Brigadier General Charles D. Gaither, of the Maryland National Guards, the ranking officer of the 8th division. He has already taken steps to prevent the "enemy" outwitting him and his soldiers.

While the date of the attack and defense has not yet been set, it is stated that it will last at least ten days. It will be the most comprehensive affair held by the militia since the big maneuvers at Manassas ten years ago. More than 25,000 will take part in the big war game. The Pennsylvania National Guards,comprises four brigades of infantry,two squadrons of cavalry, four batteries of field artillery, two companies of engineers, one company of signal corps and one field hospital. The defending army will include thirteen regiments of infantry, three troops of cavalry, five batteries of field artillery, two companies of engineers, two companies of the signal corps and two field hospitals.

MINISTER RESIGNS.

Norfolk Rector Accepts Call to Eastville, Virginia.

Norfolk Va., Feb. 6.—Rev. E. P. Cowling, rector of St. Thomas' P. E. Church, greatly surprised his vestrymen in session Wednesday night at the church, when he tendered his resignation as rector, to accept a call to the Episcopal church at Eastville, Va. Mr. Cowling has been the rector of the church for the past eleven years.

The resignation is effective on February 23rd, on which date he will take charge of his new parish.

Union Asks For $400,000.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 6.—A resolution was read in the Senate yesterday from the State Farmers' Union, lately in session at Petersburg, urging the legislature to make a provision of $70,000 to $100,000 for the establishment of lime-grinding plants at suitable places in the State for the advancement of agriculture, and also to make an increase of not less than $400,000 for the benefit of the rural primary schools.

APPEAR TO OPPOSE MEASURE.

Lack of Quorum of Senate Committee Prevents Hearing on Annexation Bill.

Richmond, Feb. 6.—Large delegations from Norfolk, Newport News, Petersburg, Alexandria and other cities were present in the Senate chamber Wednesday night to oppose the Wendenburg bill, which is intended to block the annexation of territory by cities, but of the Senate Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns only Senator Cannon, of Richmond, appeared. The others, it was explained, were too thoroughly tired out with the long debate on the enabling act to attend night committee meetings.

The Wendenburg bill, like the Gunn bill pending in the House provides that in any annexation not more than 25 per cent of the taxable values of any county may be annexed at any one time, and that there may be no further annexation for five years.

Mrs. Stuart's Sister Ill.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 6.—Mrs. Henry C. Stuart, wife of Governor Stuart, has receiveda telegram calling her to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. John W. Von Neida, of Philadelphia. She left this morning and expects to return to Richmond for the first of a series of official dinners on February 10.

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Selected home dressed Chickens, fat and tender per pound	23c

Atmore's Plum Pudding, per pound can	18c
Jell-O, assorted flavors, per package	9c
Fat Norway Mackerel, 4c each, per dozen	45c
Delaware kiln dried Sweet Potatoes, per peck	35c
Fancy Full Cream New York Cheese, per pound	22c
Genuine Imported Swiss cheese, per pound	34c
York Imperials and Pippin Apples, per peck	60c
Small Red Apples, 1-4 peck	12c
Gold Medal Flour, 12 pound sacks, 40c, per barrel	$6.00
Peanut Butter, per tumblor	9c
Thomas' Baked Beans per can, 7c, 3 cans	20c
Fancy Red Alaska Salmon	15c
Alaska Salmon, tall can	8c
Eagle Sardines, per can, 4c, per dozen	45c
Karo Syrup, light and dark, per can	9c
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